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# GCSE

## RELIGIOUS STUDIES A

### Paper 1 Sikhism

Thursday 9 May 2024

Morning

Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes

#### Materials

**Before** you open this book, you must ensure you also have:

- the Question Paper/Answer Book for the other **religion option** you are entered for (Buddhism, Catholic Christianity, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam **or** Judaism).
- You will have 1 hour 45 minutes to complete **both** Question Paper/Answer Books.

#### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page **and** on your other book.
- Answer **all** questions.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do **not** write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.

#### Information

- The maximum mark for this paper is 51.
- The marks for the questions are shown in brackets.
- Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar (**SPaG**) will be assessed in the 12-mark question in the **Beliefs** section.

#### Advice

You are advised to spend 50 minutes on this religion option and 50 minutes on your **other** religion option.

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**Sikhism: Beliefs**

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Which **one** of the following is **not** a barrier to mukti?**[1 mark]**

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

**A** Anger☐**B** Greed☐**C** Illusion☐**D** Wisdom☐

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Give **two** ways that Sikhs can carry out sewa.**[2 marks]**

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**Sikhism: Practices**

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Which **one** of the following describes the palki in a gurdwara?**[1 mark]**

Put a tick (✓) in the box next to the correct answer.

**A** A domed structure for the Guru Granth Sahib☐**B** An area where Sikhs sit facing the Guru Granth Sahib☐**C** The Sikh who reads the Guru Granth Sahib☐**D** The symbol of Sikhism above the Guru Granth Sahib☐

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Give **two** reasons why Sikh families hold religious ceremonies for babies.**[2 marks]**1 \_\_\_\_\_  
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**[5 marks]**

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'For Sikhs, remembering events of the past is the most important part of Vaisakhi (Baisakhi).'

In your answer you should:

- refer to Sikh teaching
- give reasoned arguments to support this statement
- give reasoned arguments to support a different point of view
- reach a justified conclusion.

**[12 marks]**

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